

Docket No. 1454.1055 (MJH)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Oliver PFAFF

Serial No.: To be assigned

Group Art Unit: Unassigned

Filed: March 30, 2001

Examiner: Unassigned

For: ARRANGEMENT AND METHOD FOR CODING AND DECODING
DIGITAL DATA ON THE BASIS OF THE INTERNET PROTOCOL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please ~~amend~~ the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please ~~REPLACE~~ the pending specification with the SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION attached hereto.

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please ~~REPLACE~~ the originally filed Abstract with the enclosed Substitute Abstract

IN THE CLAIMS

Please ~~delete~~ claims 1-8.